

CITY OF LONG BEACH DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION (WIRELESS DIVISION)

COMMUNICATION SPECIALIST I

\$26.836 - \$32.968

THE POSITION

The Communication Specialist in the Wireless Division for the City of Long Beach is a critical position. The position is responsible for the installation, repair, maintenance, and removal of various communications equipment from public safety and other types of vehicles and fixed locations that may include radio equipment, mobile data terminals, code 3 equipment, video surveillance equipment, etc. The type of equipment used changes frequently as the technology needs of the City change.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES

- Performs shop and field maintenance of radio, microwave, and multiplexing equipment;
- Maintains Motorola CentraCom dispatch system, tones remotes, dispatch user stations, portable and mobile radio equipment, repeaters and base stations, etc.;
- Maintains and repairs equipment used in video surveillance systems;
- Maintains and repairs equipment used in public safety, utility, and other city vehicles;
- Performs advanced troubleshooting to diagnose various types of electronic equipment;
- Uses an asset management and work order program to track work assignments;
- Develops system documentation using Word, Excel, Visio, or other tools;
- Uses test equipment and hand tools to diagnose and repair communication equipment; and
- Performs other duties as assigned.

CONTACT INFORMATION

For more information regarding this exciting career opportunity, please visit the Civil Service Department website at www.longbeach.gov/civilservice.

THE CITY OF LONG BEACH IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER, THE DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION VALUES AND ENCOURAGES DIVERSITY IN ITS WORKFORCE.

DESIRABLE REQUIREMENTS

- FCC General Radiotelephone Operators License (GROL);
- Knowledge of TCP/IP networking and related services and:
- A California driver's license.

DESIRABLE SKILLS

- Ability to troubleshoot and repair electronic equipment;
- Ability to use computers for programming, testing, aligning and maintaining electronic equipment;
- Ability to install communication equipment in vehicles;
- Experience working from an aerial platform;
- Ability to work effectively in a team environment;
- Ability to provide effective customer service;
- Ability to communicate effectively both orally and in writing;
- Strong problem-solving and analytical skills; and
- Willingness to work occasional nights, weekends, overtime and a rotating schedule, as required.

This information is available in an alternate format by request to application or call (562) 570-6202.